

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter, and without any intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents, as follows.

Please delete the paragraph on page 1, lines 5-13 of the specification with the new paragraph below:

-----This invention relates to reactive nanoparticulate porogen based on cyclodextrin derivatives useful as a pore-forming template (porogen) and a low dielectric matrix, with excellent mechanical properties and uniformly distributed nanopores, manufactured by sol-gel reaction of the above reactive cyclodextrin derivatives themselves. Further, this invention also relates to an ultralow dielectric material with uniformly distributed nanopores, a relatively high porosity of 51% and a relatively low dielectric constant of 1.6, manufactured by blending of the conventional organic or inorganic silicate precursor by using the above reactive nanoparticulate porogen based on cyclodextrin derivatives.-----